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## 1 PLACE OF DEATH

County WorcesterVillage or City Stockton (No.)2 FULL NAME Lewis Junior Bennett

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Male4 COLOR OR RACE Colored5 SINGLE,  
MARRIED,  
WIDOWED,  
OR DIVORCED  
(Write the word)Single

6 DATE OF BIRTH

June 10, 1924  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE

8 yrs. 2 mos. 23 ds. or min. If LESS than  
1 day hrs.  
or min.?

8 OCCUPATION

- (a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work School boy  
 (b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed or (employer) .....

9 BIRTHPLACE

(State or country) Maryland

10 NAME OF FATHER

Lvin Bennett11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER  
(State or country)Maryland

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER

Lizzie Rowley13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER  
(State or Country)Maryland

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Lvin Bennett(Address) Stockton, Md15 Filed Sept 4 1932

Registrar

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATHRegistration Dist. No. 354St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_  
(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH

Sept 3, 1932  
(Month) (Day) (Year)17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from Aug 20, 1932 to Sept 3, 1932,  
that I last saw him alive on Sept 3, 1932,and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 5:00 m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Typhoid Fever

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

Contributory  
Secondary

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

(Signed) John D. Jefferson M. D.  
Sept 4, 1932 (Address) Stockton, Md\* State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from  
Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether  
Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death yrs. mos. ds.

In the State yrs. mos. ds.

Where was disease contracted,  
if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

Brewers Cem Sept 4, 1932

DATE OF BURIAL

20 UNDERTAKER

Perrin & Bennett Stockton Md

ADDRESS

# REVISED UNITED STATES STANDARD

## CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

(Approved by U. S. Census and American Public Health Association.)

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## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH 10311

MARGIN RESERVED FOR BINDING

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## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County WorcesterVillage or City BerlinRegistration Dist. No. 355St. Ward

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred

yrs.

mos.

ds.

How long in U.S. if of foreign birth?

yrs.

mos.

ds.

2. FULL NAME Gertude I. Brittingham

(a) Residence: No.

(Usual place of abode)

No.

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX Female4. COLOR OR RACE white5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED,  
OR DIVORCED (write the word)  
Married5a. If married, widowed, or divorced  
HUSBAND of  
(or) WIFE ofJohn I. Brittingham

6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year)

July 16, 1875

7. AGE

Years 57Months 2Days 13If LESS than  
1 day, \_\_\_\_\_ hrs.  
or \_\_\_\_\_ min.8. Trade, profession, or particular  
kind of work done, as SPINNER,  
SAWER, BODKKEEPER, etc.9. Industry or business in which  
work was done, as SILK MILL,  
SAW MILL, BANK, etc.10. Date deceased last worked at  
this occupation (Month and  
year)11. Total time (years)  
spent in this  
occupation12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)  
(State or country)Md.13. NAME Johnson Dennis14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)  
(State or country)Md.15. MAIDEN NAME Shoobley16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)  
(State or country)Md.17. INFDRMT Clarence I. Brittingham  
(Address) Berlin Md.

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, DR REMOVAL

Place Riverside Date Oct. 1, 193219. UNDERTAKER J. W. Burbage  
(Address) Berlin Md.20. FILED 10/1/1932 Helen F. Hayward  
Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

21. DATE OF DEATH Sep 29(Month) Sep (Day) 29 (Year) 1932

## 22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

19 \_\_\_\_\_ to 19 \_\_\_\_\_

I last saw her alive on Sep 29, 1932; death is said to have occurred on the date stated above, at 2 P.M.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance were as follows:

Ch. Pichamay L.R.

Date of onset

Other Contributory Causes of importance:

Ch. Dughris

Name of operation \_\_\_\_\_ Date of \_\_\_\_\_

What test confirmed diagnosis? \_\_\_\_\_ Was there an autopsy? \_\_\_\_\_

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide? \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Injury \_\_\_\_\_, 19 \_\_\_\_\_

Where did injury occur? \_\_\_\_\_

(Specify city or town, county and State)  
Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of Injury \_\_\_\_\_

Nature of injury \_\_\_\_\_

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased?

If so, specify \_\_\_\_\_

(Signed)

(Address)

Chas. R. Law  
Berlin Md.

M. D.

# UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

**Statement of occupation.**—Precise statement of occupation is very important, so that the relative healthfulness of various pursuits can be known. Make some entry in this section for every person aged 10 years or over. If the deceased had retired from business, report the occupation prior to retirement. Children not gainfully employed may be returned as at school or at home. For a woman whose only occupation was that of home housework, write housewife in answer to Question 8 and own home in answer to Question 9. For a person engaged in domestic service for wages, however, designate the occupation by the appropriate terms, as servant—private family, cook—hotel, etc. For a person who had no occupation whatever write **none**.

To be complete, an occupation return must state:

- 8.—The trade, profession, or particular kind of work done.
- 9.—The industry or business in which the work was done.
- 10.—The month and year the deceased last worked at the occupation.
- 11.—The number of years the deceased followed the occupation.

In stating the occupation, avoid the use of such indefinite terms as "employee," "worker," "operative," etc. Find out the particular kind of work done and return that, as spinner, weaver, etc.

In stating the industry or business, avoid the use of such general terms as "store," "factory," "mill," etc. State the particular kind of store, factory, mill, etc., as grocery store, soap factory, cotton mill, etc.

Distinguish carefully the different kinds of engineers by stating the full descriptive titles, as civil engineer, mechanical engineer, mining engineer, stationary engineer, etc. Avoid the term "laborer" when a more precise statement of the occupation can be secured. Do not use the word "mechanic," but give the exact occupation, as carpenter, painter, machinist, etc. Distinguish carefully between retail merchants and wholesale merchants. A person who sells goods should be called a salesman and not a clerk.

**Statement of cause of death.**—Cause of death means the disease, injury, or complication which causes death, not the mode of dying, e. g., heart failure, asphyxia, asthenia, etc. As principal cause name the disease or injury causing death. As related causes, name earlier morbid conditions, if any, related to the principal cause and any important complication of the principal cause. Under other contributory causes of importance, name other important diseases or injuries. Examples:

Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

Arteriosclerosis	Date of onset
	1915
Chronic interstitial nephritis	1921

Cerebral hemorrhage

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Gallstones

May 1, 1923

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gallstones

May 1, 1923

Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

Attack of epilepsy	Date of onset
Run over by street car	1 week ago
Peritonitis	3 days ago

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gastroenteritis

ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

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## 1 PLACE OF DEATH

County WorcesterVillage or City Kingsville Md. (No.)2 FULL NAME Lillie J. Leoppper

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX

Female

4 COLOR OR RACE

White5 SINGLE,  
MARRIED,  
WIDOWED,  
OR DIVORCED(Write the word) ✓

6 DATE OF BIRTH

8 22, 1868  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE

64 yrs. 1 mos. 0 ds. or min.

If LESS than

1 day hrs.

## 8 OCCUPATION

- (a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work housekeeping
- (b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed or (employer)

## 9 BIRTHPLACE

(State or country) Maryland10 NAME OF FATHER Joshua Leoppper

## 11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER

(State or country) Maryland12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Jane Hudson

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER

(State or Country) Maryland

## 14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Joshua Leoppper(Address) Bishopsville Maryland

15 Filed

9/25/1932 J. L. Ryan

Registrar

## STATE OF MARYLAND

## CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 355

55-1

St. Ward

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH

Sept 21, 1932

(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from Sept 15, 1932 to Sept 21, 1932.that I last saw her alive on Sept 21, 1932.and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 9:30 A.M.

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Intramural hemorrhage,  
due to uterine tumor  
She had a "lump" in her abdomen. No further  
information, except 9 AM and know  
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**1 PLACE OF DEATH**  
County Worcester

Village or City Whaleyville (No.)

**2 FULL NAME****PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS****3 SEX**

Male	4 COLOR OR RACE	5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word)
	white	Widower

**6 DATE OF BIRTH**

11 6, 1846  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

**7 AGE**

85 yrs. 10 mos. 14 ds. or min.?

If LESS than

1 day hrs.

**8 OCCUPATION**

(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work  
(b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed or (employer)

Farmer

**9 BIRTHPLACE**

(State or country)

Maryland

**10 NAME OF FATHER****11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER**

(State or country)

**12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER**

(State or Country)

Joseph Dunnaway

Maryland

Martha Baker

Maryland

**14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE**

(Informant)

Mrs Anna Dunnaway

(Address)

Whaleyville Md

**15** Filed 9-23 1932

Helen J. Hayward

Registrar

**MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH****16 DATE OF DEATH**

Sept 20, 1932

(Month) (Day) (Year)

**17** I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from Sept 18, 1932, to Sept 20, 1932, that I last saw him alive on Sept 18, 1932, and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 6 A.M. The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Acute Ilio Colitis

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

Contributory Secondary

Chronic Valvular Heart

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

(Signed) C. A. Holland M. D.  
Sept 22, 1932 (Address) Berlin, Md.

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

**18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)**

At place of death yrs. mos. ds.

In the State yrs. mos. ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence

**19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL**

Whaleyville Cemetery

**DATE OF BURIAL**

Sept 23, 1932

**20 UNDERTAKER**

Mrs M. Pasha Watson

**ADDRESS**

Whaleyville Md.

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## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County

Worcester

59

Registration Dist. No.

351

St. Ward

Village or City

Bear Snow Hill

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred

yrs. mos. ds.

How long in U.S. if of foreign birth? yrs. mos. ds.

## 2. FULL NAME

(a) Residence: No.

(Usual place of abode)

St. Ward.

If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX

4. COLOR OR RACE

5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED,  
OR DIVORCED (write the word)

Male col

married

5a. If married, widowed, or divorced

HUSBAND of  
(or) WIFE of

Sarah Fisher

6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year)

Oct. 21 1881

7. AGE Years

Months

Days

If LESS than  
1 day, hrs.  
or min.

50

10

28

OCCUPATION

8. Trade, profession, or particular  
kind of work done, as SPINNER,  
SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc.9. Industry or business in which  
work was done, as SILK MILL,  
SAW MILL, BANK, etc.10. Date deceased last worked at  
this occupation (month and  
year)11. Total time (years)  
spent in this  
occupation12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)  
(State or country)

Maryland

13. NAME

Sarah Fisher

14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)  
(State or country)

Maryland

15. MAIDEN NAME

Sarah Fisher

16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)  
(State or country)

Maryland

17. INFORMANT

Sarah Fisher

(Address)

Gardelton B.R. #1

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Place

Burial

Date Sept. 22, 1932

19. UNDERTAKER

(Address)

W.S. Stearns

20. FILED

Date

9/21, 1932

Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

21. DATE OF DEATH

Sept. 19

(Month)

(Day)

1932  
(Year)

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

Mar. 23, 1932, to Sept. 18, 1932

I last saw him alive on Sept. 18, 1932. Death is said  
to have occurred on the date stated above, m.The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance  
were as follows:Broncho Pneumonia  
(Two weeks)

Date of onset

Other Contributory Causes of importance:

Diabetes Mellitus  
About 2 yrs ago

Name of operation

Date of

What test confirmed diagnosis? Was there an autopsy?

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide? Data of injury 19

Where did injury occur?

(Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of Injury

Nature of injury

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased?

If so, specify

G.H. Sembly M.D.

(Signed)

(Address)

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Arteriosclerosis

Chronic interstitial nephritis

Cerebral hemorrhage

Date of onset

1915

1921

July 5, 1927

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

Attack of epilepsy

Run over by street car

Peritonitis

Date of onset

1 week ago

1 week ago

3 days ago

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gallstones

May 1, 1923

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gastroenteritis

1 year

ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County WorcesterVillage or City Berlin

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred yrs.

No.

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

St.

Ward

mos. ds. How long in U.S. if of foreign birth? yrs. mos. ds.

2. FULL NAME Nellie Franklin

(a) Residence: No.

St. Ward.

If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX Female 4. COLOR OR RACE col 5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (*write the word*) Singer5a. If married, widowed, or divorced  
HUSBAND of  
(or) WIFE of \_\_\_\_\_6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year) May 19157. AGE Years 17 Months 7 Days Unknown If LESS than  
1 day, \_\_\_\_ hrs.  
or \_\_\_\_ min.8. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as SPINNER, SAWYER, BODKEEPER, etc. 9. Industry or business in which work was done, as SILK MILL, SAW MILL, BANK, etc. Haussewach

10. Date deceased last worked at this occupation (month and year) \_\_\_\_\_

11. Total time (years) spent in this occupation

12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)  
(State or country) Md.13. NAME Nellie Franklin  
14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)  
(State or country) Md.15. MAIDEN NAME Mara Robbins16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)  
(State or country) Md.17. INFORMANT John Franklin  
(Address)18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL  
Place St. Pauls Date Sept 12, 193219. UNDERTAKER J. W. Bryant  
(Address) 13 Main St. Md.20. FILED Sept 15, 1932 I V. Mumford  
Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

21. DATE OF DEATH Sept 12

(Month)

(Day)

(Year)

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY That I attended deceased from

April 24, 1932, to Sept 12, 1932I last saw deceased alive on July 1, 1932, death is said to have occurred on the date stated above, at 6 P.M.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance were as follows:

Labor PneumoniaDate of onset  
April 1932

Other Contributory Causes of Importance:

MyocarditisName of operation none Date ofWhat test confirmed diagnosis? none Was there an autopsy? no

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide? \_\_\_\_\_ Date of injury \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

Where did Injury occur?

(Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury \_\_\_\_\_

Nature of injury \_\_\_\_\_

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased? No

If so, specify \_\_\_\_\_

(Signed)

(Address) C. A. Holland St. Pauls Md.

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	Date of onset
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Chronic interstitial nephritis	1921
Cerebral hemorrhage	July 5, 1927

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gallstones	May 1, 1923

Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

Attack of epilepsy	1 week ago
Run over by street car	1 week ago
Peritonitis	3 days ago

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gastroenteritis	1 year

ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

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1 PLACE OF DEATH  
County Worcester

Village or City Whaleyville

2 FULL NAME Mary Catherine Soddy

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Female4 COLOR OR RACE White5 SINGLE,  
MARRIED,  
WIDOWED,  
OR DIVORCED  
(Write the word) Widow

6 DATE OF BIRTH

Feb. 24, 1842  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE

90 yrs. 6 mos. 19 ds. If LESS than  
1 day hrs.  
or min.?

8 OCCUPATION

- (a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work Housewife  
 (b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed or (employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE  
(State or country) Maryland10 NAME OF FATHER Zuriah H. Dunkin11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER  
(State or country) Maryland12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Catherine Tull13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER  
(State or Country) Maryland

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Bula C. Wimblow  
(Address) Whaleyville Md.

15 Filed 9-15 1932 Helen F. Hayward  
Registrar

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATHRegistration Dist. No. 355St. 4 Ward 4

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH

September (Month) 13 (Day) 1932 (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from

June 1932 to September 1932,that I last saw her alive on September 12th 1932,and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 2:15 P.M.

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

3/4 portion  
afternoon  
chronic nephritis

(Duration) yrs. mos. da.

Contributory  
Secondary

(Duration) yrs. mos. da.

(Signed) Frank Lewis M. D.

192... (Address)

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from  
Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether  
Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death yrs. mos. ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence

In the State yrs. mos. ds.

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

Mt. Olive Md

DATE OF BURIAL

Sept 15, 1932

20 UNDERTAKER

M. Parka Watson

ADDRESS

Selbyville Del

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(Approved by U. S. Census and American Public Health Association.)

**Statement of Occupation**—Precise statement of occupation is very important, so that the relative healthfulness of various pursuits can be known. The question applies to each and every person, irrespective of age. For many occupations a single word or term on the first line will be sufficient, e. g., *Farmer* or *Planter*, *Physician*, *Compostor*, *Architect*, *Locomotive engineer*, *Civil engineer*, *Stationary fireman*, etc. But in many cases, especially in industrial employments, it is necessary to know (a) the kind of work and also (b) the nature of the business or industry, and therefore an additional line is provided for the latter statement; it should be used only when needed. As examples: (a) *Spinner*, (b) *Cotton mill*; (a) *Salesman*, (b) *Grocery*; (a) *Foreman*, (b) *Automobile factory*. The material worked on may form part of the second statement. Never return "Laborer," "Foreman," "Manager," "Dealer," etc., without more precise specification as *Day laborer*, *Farm laborer*, *Laborer—Coal mine*, etc. Women at home, who are engaged in the duties of the household only (not paid *Housekeepers* who receive a definite salary), may be entered as *Housewife*, *House-work*, or *At Home*, and children, not gainfully employed, as *At school*, or *At home*. Care should be taken to report specifically the occupations of persons engaged in domestic service for wages, as *Servant*, *Cook*, *Housemaid*, etc. If the occupation has been changed or given up on account of the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH, state occupation at beginning of illness. If retired from business, that fact may be indicated thus: *Farmer (retired 6 yrs)*. For persons who have no occupation whatever, write *None*.

**Statement of Cause of Death**—Name, first, the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH (the primary affection with respect to time and causation), using always the same accepted term for the same disease. Examples: *Cerebrospinal fever* (the only definite synonym is "Epidemic cerebrospinal meningitis"); *Diphtheria* (avoid use of "Croup"); *Typhoid fever* (never report "Typhoid Pneumonia"); *Lobar pneumonia*, *Bronchopneumonia* ("Pneumonia,"

unqualified, is indefinite); *Tuberculosis of lungs, meningitis, peritonaeum, etc.*, *Carcinoma*, *Sarcoma*, etc., of . . . . . (name origin); "Cancer" is less definite; avoid use of "Tumor" for malignant neoplasms); *Measles*, *Whooping cough*; *Chronic valvular heart disease*; *Chronic intestinal nephritis*, etc. The contributory (secondary or intercurrent) affection need not be stated unless important. Example: *Measles* (disease causing death), 29 ds.; *Bronchopneumonia* (secondary), 10 ds. Never report mere symptoms or terminal conditions, such as "Asthenia," "Anaemia" (merely symptomatic), "Atrophy," "Collapse," "Coma," "Convulsions," "Debility" ("Congenital," "Senile," etc.), "Dropsy," "Exhaustion," "Heart failure," "Haemorrhage," "Inanition," "Marasmus," "Old Age," "Shock," "Uraemia," "Weakness," etc., when a definite disease can be ascertained as the cause. Always qualify all diseases resulting from childbed or miscarriage as "PUERPERAL septicemia," "PUERPERAL peritonitis," etc. State cause for which surgical operation was undertaken. For VIOLENT DEATHS state MEANS OF INJURY and qualify as ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL, or HOMICIDAL, or as probably such, if impossible to determine definitely. Examples: *Accidental drowning*; *Struck by railway train—accident*; *Revolver wound of head—homicide*; *Poisoned by carbolic acid—probably suicide*. The nature of the injury, as fracture of skull, and consequences (e. g., *sepsis*, *tetanus*) may be stated under the head of "contributory." (Recommendations on statement of cause of death approved by Committee on Nomenclature of the American Medical Association.)

If this certificate is looked over thoroughly and all questions answered in detail, it will prevent further correspondence. All the data is essential and must be obtained before the certificate is permanently filed.



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Chronic interstitial nephritis		1921
Cerebral hemorrhage	BUREAU V.S.	July 5, 1927

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gallstones	May 1, 1923

Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

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Peritonitis	3 days ago

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gastroenteritis	1 year

ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County Worcester No. 119  
 Village or City Berlin

Registration Dist. No. 352 St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred yrs. 5 mos. 10 ds. How long in U.S. if of foreign birth? yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

2. FULL NAME Hilberry Lee Henry

(a) Residence: No.

(Usual place of abode)

St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward. \_\_\_\_\_

If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX M4. COLOR OR RACE Colored5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED,  
OR DIVORCED (write the word)

5a. If married, widowed, or divorced

HUSBAND of  
(or) WIFE of

6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year)

March 29, 1932

7. AGE

Years

Months

Days

If LESS than  
1 day, \_\_\_\_\_ hrs.  
or \_\_\_\_\_ min.5 16

OCCUPATION

8. Trade, profession, or particular  
kind of work done, as SPINNER,  
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work was done, as SILK MILL,  
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this occupation (month and  
year)11. Total time (years)  
spent in this  
occupation

12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

Berlin P.T.S.

MOTHER

FATHER

13. NAME James Purnell

14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

Berlin15. MAIDEN NAME Maggie Henry

16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

Berlin17. INFORMANT Maggie Henry

(Address)

Berlin P.T.S.

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Place

Date Sept. 13, 193219. UNDERTAKER J. W. Burbage

(Address)

Berlin20. FILED Sept. 13, 1932

(Address)

J. D. Murphy

Registrar.

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

21. DATE OF DEATH Sept(Month) 12, (Day) 2, (Year) 193222. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from March 29, 1932, to Aug 15, 1932I last saw h. m. alive on Aug 15, 1932; death is said to have occurred on the date stated above, at 12 P.M. noon

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance were as follows:

Unanition

Date of onset

Other Contributory Causes of importance:

Chronic Intest-  
inal diarrhea

Name of operation

Date of

What test confirmed diagnosis?

Was there an autopsy?

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide?

Date of injury \_\_\_\_\_, 19 \_\_\_\_

Where did injury occur?

(Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE

Manner of injury

Nature of injury

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased?

If so, specify

Clifford E. Schott

M. D.

Berlin, Md.

(Address)

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Example I

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Arteriosclerosis	Date of onset
	1915
Chronic interstitial nephritis	1921

BUREAU V.A.

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gallstones	Date of onset
	May 1, 1923

Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

Attack of epilepsy	Date of onset
Run over by street car	1 week ago
Peritonitis	3 days ago

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gastroenteritis	Date of onset
	1 year

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## MARGIN RESERVED FOR BINDING

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## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH 10319

## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County Worcester

Village or City Pocomoke City

WITHIN CORPORATE LIMITS

Registration Dist. No. 350

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred

yrs.

mos.

ds.

How long in U.S. if of foreign birth?

yrs.

mos.

ds.

## 2. FULL NAME Benjamin S. Jones

(a) Residence: No.

St. Ward.

If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX	4. COLOR OR RACE	5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word)
Male	White	Married

5a. If married, widowed, or divorced:

HUSBAND of (or) WIFE of Kate B. Jones

Exact date not known

6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year)

7. AGE	Years	Months	Days	If LESS than 1 day, _____ hrs. or _____ min.
About 71				

8. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as SPINNER, SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc.

Truck Farmer

9. Industry or business in which work was done, as SILK MILL,

SAW MILL, BANK, etc.

10. Date deceased last worked at this occupation (month and year)

11. Total time (years) spent in this occupation

12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) Worcester County

(State or country) Maryland

13. NAME Benjamin I. Jones

14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) Worcester County

(State or country) Maryland

15. MAIDEN NAME Harriet J. Hancock

16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) Worcester County

(State or country) Maryland.

17. INFORMANT James M. Crockett

(Address) Pocomoke City, Maryland.

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

M.F. Cemetery  
Pocomoke City, Md., Date Sept. 11th, 32

19. UNDERTAKER Vernon P. Stevenson

(Address) Pocomoke City, Maryland.

20. FILED Sep 11, 1932 John T. Riley

Registrar.

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

## 21. DATE OF DEATH

Pocomoke City Sept. 10th, 1932  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY that I attended deceased from

Aug 1<sup>st</sup>, 1932, to Aug 10, 1932I last saw him alive on Aug 9<sup>th</sup>, 1932; death is said to have occurred on the date stated above, at 11:20 A.M.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance were as follows:

John Davis

Date of onset

Other Contributory Causes of importance:

Cirrhosis of Liver

Name of operation \_\_\_\_\_ Date of \_\_\_\_\_

What test confirmed diagnosis? Was there an autopsy?

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide? Date of injury \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

Where did injury occur?

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Manner of injury \_\_\_\_\_

Nature of injury \_\_\_\_\_

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(Signed) J. Wilson M. D.  
(Address) Pocomoke City, Md.

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Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

	Date of onset
Arteriosclerosis	1915
Chronic interstitial nephritis	1921
Cerebral hemorrhage	July 5, 1927

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gallstones	May 1, 1923

Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

	Date of onset
Attack of epilepsy	1 week ago
Run over by street car	1 week ago
Peritonitis	3 days ago

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gastroenteritis	1 year

ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County

Worcester

Village or City

Snow Hill

104-a

Registration Dist. No.

St.,

Ward

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred

yrs.

mos.

ds.

How long in U.S. if of foreign birth?

yrs.

mos.

ds.

## 2. FULL NAME

(a) Residence: No.

(Usual place of abode)

St. Ward.

If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX

female

4. COLOR OR RACE colored

5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED,  
OR DIVORCED (write the word)  
single

6a. If married, widowed, or divorced

HUSBAND of  
(or) WIFE of

6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year)

April 12 1914

7. AGE

Years 18

Months 5

Days 2

If LESS than  
1 day, \_\_\_\_\_ hrs.  
or \_\_\_\_\_ min.

OCCUPATION

8. Trade, profession, or particular  
kind of work done, as SPINNER,  
SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc.9. Industry or business in which  
work was done, as SILK MILL,  
SAW MILL, BANK, etc.10. Date deceased last worked at  
this occupation (month and  
year)11. Total time (years)  
spent in this  
occupation12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)  
(State or country)

Near Snow Hill Md

Near Snow Hill Md

Maryland

13. NAME

William Hudson

# UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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- 8.—The trade, profession, or particular kind of work done.
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- 10.—The month and year the deceased last worked at the occupation.
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Other contributory causes of importance:

Gallstones	May 1, 1923

Example II

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Attack of epilepsy	1 week ago
Run over by street car	1 week ago
Peritonitis	3 days ago

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gastroenteritis	1 year

ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

10321

## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County, BaltimoreVillage or City, Baltimore Md

(131)

Registration Dist. No.

352

St., Ward

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred

yrs.

mos.

ds.

How long in U.S. if of foreign birth?

yrs.

mos.

ds.

No.

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

2. FULL NAME Minnie Russell(a) Residence: No. Baltimore Md

(Usual place of abode)

St., Ward.

If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX	4. COLOR OR RACE	5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word)
<u>female</u>	<u>A.A.</u>	<u>single</u>
5a. If married, widowed, or divorced HUSBAND of (or) WIFE of <u>no</u>		

## 6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year)

7. AGE	Years	Months	Days	If LESS than 1 day, _____ hrs. or _____ min.
<u>18</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>7</u>		

8. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as SPINNER, SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc.

9. Industry or business in which work was done, as SILK MILL, SAW MILL, BANK, etc.

10. Date deceased last worked at this occupation (month and year) 193211. Total time (years) spent in this occupation 7

## 12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country) BaltimoreMd13. NAME Glaton Russell

## 14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country) BaltimoreMd15. MAIDEN NAME Glorinia Robbins

## 16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country) BaltimoreMd17. INFORMANT Glaton Russell(Address) Baltimore MdMd

## 18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Place General Cemetery Date Sept 18, 193219. UNDERTAKER J. F. DeBart(Address) Baltimore MdMd20. FILED Sept 16, 1932 by V. W. M. M. & Co.

Registrar

(Address) 108 Main St

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

21. DATE OF DEATH Sept 18

(Month)

(Day)

, 19<sup>32</sup> (Year)

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY That I attended deceased from

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to

, 19

I last saw h... or alive on

to have occurred on the date stated above, at 11 a.m.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance were as follows:

Myocarditis Acute

Date of onset

Other Contributory Causes of Importance:

Myoventricular chronic interstitial

outflow

Name of operation

Date of

What test confirmed diagnosis?

Was there an autopsy?

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide?

Data of injury , 19

Where did injury occur?

(Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether Injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury

Nature of injury

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased?

If so, specify

(Signed) Walter S. Johnson Jr. M. D.(Address) 108 Main St

# UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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Cerebral hemorrhage		July 5, 1927

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Other contributory causes of importance:

Gallstones	May 1, 1923

Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

Attack of epilepsy	1 week ago
Run over by street car	1 week ago
Peritonitis	3 days ago

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Other contributory causes of importance:

Gastroenteritis	1 year

ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

## MARGIN RESERVED FOR BINDING

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1 PLACE OF DEATH  
County Worcester

Village or City Klej Grange (No.)

2 FULL NAME Martindale Redden

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX <u>Male</u>	4 COLOR OR RACE <u>White</u>	5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word) <u>Married</u>
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## 6 DATE OF BIRTH

June 1, 1868  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

## 7 AGE

64 yrs. 3 mos. 12 ds. If LESS than  
1 day hrs. or min?

## 8 OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession or  
particular kind of work Farmer  
(b) General nature of industry  
business, or establishment in  
which employed or (employer) of

9 BIRTHPLACE  
(State or country)

Maryland

10 NAME OF  
FATHER

John J. Redden

11 BIRTHPLACE  
OF FATHER  
(State or country)

Maryland

12 MAIDEN NAME  
OF MOTHER

Sallie A. Tarr

13 BIRTHPLACE  
OF MOTHER  
(State or Country)

Maryland

## 14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant)

Basil Redden

(Address)

Pocomoke, Md.

## 15 Filed

Sept 13 1932  
H. H. Haughey, Jr.  
Registrar

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STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATHRegistration Dist. No. 354

St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_  
(If death occurred in  
a hospital or institu-  
tion, give its NAME in-  
stead of street and  
number.)

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH Sept. 12, 1932  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from  
June 24 1932 to Sept 8, 1932,  
that I last saw him alive on Sept. 8, 1932,  
and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 3 P.M.

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Booster of  
Electicism  
(Duration) 1 yrs. 0 mos. 0 ds.

Contributory  
Secondary

(Duration) 1 yrs. 0 mos. 0 ds.  
(Signed) John D. Dickerson M. D.  
Dept. 13, 1932 (Address) Stockton, Md.

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from  
Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether  
Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

## 18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death yrs. mos. ds. In the State yrs. mos. ds.

Where was disease contracted,  
if not at place of death?

Former or  
usual residence

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL With son in DATE OF BURIAL Sept 14, 32

## 20 UNDERTAKER

N. P. Stevenson ADDRESS Pocomoke, Md.

# REVISED UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

(Approved by U. S. Census and American Public Health Association.)

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## MARGIN RESERVED FOR BINDING

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## 1 PLACE OF DEATH

County WorcesterVillage or City Ocean City (No.)

(131)

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATHRegistration Dist. No. 352

St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward) (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

2 FULL NAME Mary P. Savage

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX

4 COLOR OR RACE

5 SINGLE,  
MARRIED,  
WIDOWED,  
OR DIVORCED  
(Write the word)Female whitewidow

6 DATE OF BIRTH

Oct. 15, 1871  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE

8 OCCUPATION

- (a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work House wife  
 (b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed or (employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE  
(State or country)

10 NAME OF FATHER

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER  
(State or country)

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER  
(State or Country)

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant)

(Address)

15 Filed

10/1 1932 D. J. Grinford  
Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH

Sep 30, 1932  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from

192.....to.....192.....

that I last saw her alive on Sep 30, 1932and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 7 A m.  
The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:Chr. nephritis

(Duration) ..... yrs. .... mos. .... ds.

Contributory  
Secondary

(Duration) ..... yrs. .... mos. .... ds.

(Signed) Chas. R. Sawyer M. D.  
9-30-1932 (Address) Berlin Md

\*State the Disease causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death ..... yrs. .... mos. .... ds.

In the State ..... yrs. .... mos. .... ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence.

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL  
Shoreline Md. R. + D  
Savage farm

DATE OF BURIAL

Oct. 1, 1932

20 UNDERTAKER

M. Farha Watson Elkville  
Dell

ADDRESS

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## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County Worcester  
Village or City Berlin

34

Registration Dist. No. 352

St., Ward

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred yrs. mos. ds. How long in U.S. if of foreign birth? yrs. mos. ds.

2. FULL NAME Edith Sturges

(a) Residence: No.

(Usual place of abode)

St., Ward.

If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX <u>Female</u>	4. COLOR OR RACE <u>col</u>	5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word)
6. If married, widowed, or divorced HUSBAND of (or) WIFE of		
7. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, end year) <u>Aug. 18, 1931</u>		
7. AGE	Years	Months
	1	
		Days
		29
		If LESS than 1 day, hrs. or min.
8. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as SPINNER, SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc.		
9. Industry or business in which work was done, as SILK MILL, SAW MILL, BANK, etc.		
10. Date deceased last worked at this occupation (month and year)		11. Total time (years) spent in this occupation

## OCCUPATION

12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)  
(State or country) Md.

## MOTHER FATHER

13. NAME Charles Tingle14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)  
(State or country) Md.15. MAIDEN NAME Agnes Sturges16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)  
(State or country) Md.17. INFORMANT Robert Sturges  
(Address) Berlin Md.18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL  
Place Germantown Date Sept. 21, 193219. UNDERTAKER J. W. Barbage  
(Address) Berlin Md.20. FILED Sept. 21, 1932 L D Maynard  
Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

21. DATE OF DEATH Sept 1919(Month) (Day), 19<sup>32</sup> (Year)

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

I last saw h. 1932 alive on Sept 19, 1932; death is said to have occurred on the date stated above, at 11 a.m.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance were as follows:

Inanition

Date of onset

Other Contributory Causes of Importance:

Weakly Septic

Cause

Name of operation

Date of

What test confirmed diagnosis?

Was there an autopsy?

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide? \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Injury \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

Where did injury occur?

(Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury

Nature of injury

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased?

If so, specify

Haller Horner  
(Signed) 10 E Main St. M. D.

(Address)

# UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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## Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

	Date of onset
Arteriosclerosis	1915
Chronic interstitial nephritis	1921
Cerebral hemorrhage	July 5, 1927

RECEIVED  
BUREAU

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gallstones	May 1, 1923

## Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

Attack of epilepsy	1 week ago
Run over by street car	1 week ago
Peritonitis	3 days ago

RECEIVED  
BUREAU

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gastroenteritis	1 year

ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

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V. S. No. 1  
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**M**  
**ARGIN RESERVED FOR BINDING**

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# STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH 10325

**1. PLACE OF DEATH**

County

Worthington

157-d

Registration Dist. ND.

354

St. Ward

Village or City

Stockton Md.

ND.

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred

yrs.

mos.

ds.

How long in U.S. If of foreign birth? yrs. mos. ds.

**2. FULL NAME**

(a) Residence: No.

(Usual place of abode)

St.

Ward.

If nonresident give city or town and State

**PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS****3. SEX**

Female

**4. COLOR OR RACE**

White

**5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED** (write the word)

Single

**5a. If married, widowed, or divorced**HUSBAND OF  
(or) WIFE OF**6. DATE OF BIRTH** (month, day, and year)

Sept 18 1882

**7. AGE**

Years

Months

Days

If LESS than  
1 day, \_\_\_\_\_ hrs.  
or \_\_\_\_\_ min.**OCCUPATION**

8. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as SPINNER, SAWYER, BODKKEEPER, etc.

9. Industry or business in which work was done, as SILK MILL, SAW MILL, BANK, etc.

10. Date deceased last worked at this occupation (month and year)

11. Total time (years)  
spent in this occupation**12. BIRTHPLACE** (city or town)

(State or country)

Md.

**MOTHER****FATHER**

13. NAME Chas. Wm. Garrison

14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

Md.

15. MAIDEN NAME Fola Lee Blodner

16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

## 17. INFORMANT

(Address)

John Wm. Blodner  
Stockton Md.

## 18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Place

Date

Beth Edm Sept 20, 32

## 19. UNDERTAKER

(Address)

L. W. Garrison  
Stockton Md.  
Sept 20, 32 Harry H. Gandy

If more blanks are needed, address State Registrar, 2411 N. Charles Street, Baltimore, Requesting V. S. No. 1.

**MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH****21. DATE OF DEATH**

Sept 20

(Month)

(Day)

1932  
(Year)

## 22.

HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

at back Sept 10, 1932 to

1932, 1932

I last saw h. alive on Sept 19, 1932; death is said to have occurred on the date stated above, at 6 A.M.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance were as follows:

Congenital abnormality of embryo  
stillborn

Date of onset

## Other Contributory Causes of importance:

Name of operation

Date of

What test confirmed diagnosis?

Was there an autopsy?

## 23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide?

Data of injury

19

Where did injury occur?

(Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury

Nature of injury

## 24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased?

If so, specify

(Signed)

E. E. Dugdale M. D.

(Address)

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Cerebral hemorrhage	July 5, 1927

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gallstones	May 1, 1923

Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

	Date of onset
Attack of epilepsy	1 week ago
Run over by street car	1 week ago
Peritonitis	3 days ago

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gastroenteritis	1 year

ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

10336

350

## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County Worcester

Village or City Pocomoke City

Registration Dist. No.

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred yrs.

No. R.F.D. # 3 St., Ward  
(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

mos. ds. How long in U.S. If of foreign birth? yrs. mos. ds.

## 2. FULL NAME Sallie E. Ward

(a) Residence: No.

St. Ward.

If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX Female	4. COLOR OR RACE White	5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word) Widow
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5a. If married, widowed, or divorced  
HUSBAND of  
(or) WIFE of Thomas Ward

6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year) July 18th. 1846.

7. AGE Years 86	Months 1	Days 17	If LESS than 1 day, hrs. or min.
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8. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as SPINNER, SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc. Housewife

9. Industry or business in which work was done, as SILK MILL, SAW MILL, BANK, etc.

10. Date deceased last worked at this occupation (month and year)

11. Total time (years) spent in this occupation

12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) Worcester County  
(State or country) Maryland.

13. NAME William Robertson

14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) Worcester County  
(State or country) Maryland.

15. MAIDEN NAME Susan Mitchell

16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) Worcester County  
(State or country) Maryland.

17. INFORMANT George Ward

(Address) Pocomoke City, Maryland

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Goodwill M.E. Cemetery  
Place Goodwill, Md. Date Sept. 6th, 1932.

19. UNDERTAKER

(Address) Pocomoke City, Maryland.

20. FILED

Sept. 19, 1932 John T. Kelly

MARGIN RESERVED FOR BINDING

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## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

## 21. DATE OF DEATH

Pocomoke City Sept 4th.

(Month)

(Day)

(Year)

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY. That I attended deceased from

July 18, 1932, to July 26, 1932; death is said

I last saw her alive on July 26, 1932; death is said  
to have occurred on the date stated above, at 10:45 A.M.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance were as follows:

Data on back

*Acute ~~classis~~ diphtheria*

Other Contributory Causes of importance:

*Starvation*

Date of

What test confirmed diagnosis?

Was there an autopsy?

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide?

Date of injury 19

Where did injury occur?

(Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of Injury

Nature of injury

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased?

If so, specify

*35 Sartoris*  
(Signed) *Pocomoke City, Md.*  
(Address)

M. D.

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Other contributory causes of importance:

Gallstones	May 1, 1923

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gastroenteritis	1 year

ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

See letter under "Riley" 10/26/32 concerning belated certificate made

## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

10327

357

## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County Worcester

(162)

Registration Dist. No.

Village or City near Snow Hill Md

St.

Ward

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred 66 yrs. 5 mos. 7 ds. How long in U.S. if of foreign birth? yrs. mos. ds.

## 2. FULL NAME James Waters

(a) Residence: No.

St.

Ward.

If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX male	4. COLOR OR RACE colored	5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word) widowed
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5a. If married, widowed, or divorced  
HUSBAND of (or) WIFE of

Husband of James Waters

6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year) 4 mo. 20th, 1867

7. AGE Years 66	Months 5	Days 7	if LESS than 1 day, hrs. or min.
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11. Total time (years) spent in this occupation Farmer

12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)  
(State or country) near Snow Hill Md

13. NAME Isiah Waters
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14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)  
(State or country) near Snow Hill Md

15. MAIDEN NAME Linda Anna
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16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)  
(State or country) " "

17. INFORMANT Lula Tipton
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18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL  
Place near Snow Hill Md Date Sept 18, 1932

Burial casket com.

19. UNDERTAKER Chas A. Farnall

(Address) Snow Hill Md

20. FILED 9/17, 1932 Re Roy Smith

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

## 21. DATE OF DEATH Sept 14, 1932

(Month)

(Day)

1932

(Year)

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY. That I attended deceased from

I last saw him alive on

to have occurred on the date stated above, at \_\_\_\_\_ m.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance were as follows:

"Sensitivity; no other unknown specific cause of death. No further information. C. S. G."

Date of onset

Other Contributory Causes of importance:

Name of operation

Date of

What test confirmed diagnosis?

Was there an autopsy?

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Accident, suicide, or homicide? Date of injury \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

Where did injury occur?

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Manner of injury

Nature of injury

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(Signed) John D. Riley M. D.

(Address) 100 W. Rockwood St., Md.

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Arteriosclerosis	OCT 5 1932	Date of onset 1915
Chronic interstitial nephritis		1921
Cerebral hemorrhage	BUREAU V	July 5, 1927

Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

Attack of epilepsy	Date of onset 1 week ago
Run over by street car	1 week ago
Peritonitis	3 days ago

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gallstones	May 1, 1928

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gastroenteritis	1 year

ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

Change of year of birth authorized by letter filed Oct. 24 1932 under DR. RILEY (J.L.)

## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

10265

## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County

WITHIN CORPORATE LIMITS

Village or City

Snow Hill

Registration Dist. No.

357

St., Ward

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred

yrs.

mos.

ds.

How long in U.S. if of foreign birth?

yrs.

mos.

ds.

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

## 2. FULL NAME

(a) Residence: No.

(Usual place of abode)

Whitfield

St., Ward.

If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX

Female Colored

4. COLOR OR RACE

5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED,  
OR DIVORCED (write the word)

5a. If married, widowed, or divorced

HUSBAND of  
(or) WIFE of

6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year)

Sept. 10<sup>th</sup> 1932.

7. AGE

Years Months Days

11 LESS than  
1 day, hrs.  
or min.

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OCCUPATION

8. Trade, profession, or particular  
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(State or country)

Snow Hill

MOTHER | FATHER

13. NAME Prince Albert Ashby

14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)  
(State or country)

Sussex Co. Va.

15. MAIDEN NAME Hattie Whitfield

16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)  
(State or country)

Conway N.C.

17. INFORMANT

(Address)

Hattie Ashby  
Snow Hill, Md.

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Place

Baptist Cem. Date Sept. 10, 1932

19. UNDERTAKER

(Address)

F. G. Ashby Pine Ashby  
Snow Hill Md.

20. FILED

Date

9/10, 1932 Recd by

Registrar.

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

21. DATE OF DEATH

Sept. - 10 . 1932  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY. That I attended deceased from

, 19 , to , 19 .

I last saw h alive on , 19 ; death is said

to have occurred on the date stated above, at m.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance  
were as follows:Stillborn - so  
says midwife

Other Contributory Causes of importance:

Date of onset

Name of operation

Date of

What test confirmed diagnosis?

Was there an autopsy?

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Nature of injury

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(Signed) Leroy Smith L. R.  
(Address) Snow Hill, Md.

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Chronic interstitial nephritis			1921
Cerebral hemorrhage			July 5, 1927

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gallstones	May 1, 1923	Date of onset

Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

Attack of epilepsy	Date of onset	1 week ago
Run over by street car		1 week ago
Peritonitis		3 days ago

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gastroenteritis	Date of onset	1 year

ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

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